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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

In the Claims:

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Subs 1. (original) A dual drive system for providing power to two subsystems, the dual drive system comprising:

- a reversible drive power source, having a main shaft with a longitudinal main shaft axis, a first end, and a second end;
- a first over-running clutch assembly having a first output shaft, a first output speed, and having a free-wheeling rotational direction, the first over-running clutch assembly being connected to and driven by the first end of the main shaft;
- a second over-running clutch assembly having a second output shaft, a second output speed, and an opposite free-wheeling rotational direction, the second over-running clutch assembly being connected to and driven by the second end of the main shaft;
- a first subsystem, connected to and driven by the first output shaft; and
- a second subsystem, connected to and driven by the second output shaft.

2. (amended) The system of Claim 1, wherein the reversible drive power source is one of a dual-speed reversible electric motor, ~~a multi-speed reversible electric motor, and a variable-speed reversible electric motor.~~



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